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## MEDICINAL.

**"To say a pleasant word to anyone was almost impossible."**

"I was troubled with female weakness for eight years, and suffered more than I can tell," writes Mrs. Gust. Moser of Oquendo, Deedle Co., Mont. "My disposition was affected to such an extent that to say a pleasant word to anyone was almost impossible. I had two operations performed by one of the most skilled surgeons of the West, but did not get relief. Then, against my doctor's strict orders, I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and Golden Medical Discovery, and followed the advice given in the Common Sense Medical Adviser. I continued this treatment for three months, and to-day am as healthy and well as a woman can be. I cannot thank Dr. Pierce enough for his kind letters to me."



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## ANOTHER MURDER IN WASHINGTON.

As was stated in the Gazette, there was another murder in Washington yesterday—the second in the past three days.

Because she refused his offers of marriage, William Dougherty, a government printing office employee, twenty-eight years of age, shot and killed Miss Amelia Fisher, twenty-three years old, employed in the laundry division, and then ended his own life by shooting himself through the head. The shooting occurred at 633 1/2 Fourth Street northwest, the home of W. E. Thomas, a messenger in the Treasury Department, and was witnessed by Miss Tillie Dougherty, sister of the dead man.

Dougherty lived at 619 1/2 street northwest, with his brother and one sister. He met Miss Fisher when he first went to work in the government printing office. As she was exceedingly popular he began paying her attention, which apparently was not distasteful. The man's infatuation for his co-laborer increased as the months went by, and several times, it is said, he proposed marriage. This, however, Miss Fisher refused, and their friends say that of late she had frequently tried to avoid him.

Yesterday morning Dougherty appeared at her home under the influence of intoxicants. He asked for Miss Fisher but was informed that she had gone to work. He then returned to his own home, where he consulted his sister and asked her to intercede. She consented, and went to the government printing office. She entreated that young lady to come home and have a talk with him. All three went into the parlor of the house and were soon busily engaged in effecting a reconciliation.

Miss Fisher, however, refused to be conciliated, although Dougherty, his sister says, pleaded with her for some time. At last she arose from her chair and walked into the back room, followed by Dougherty. Silence for a second or more ensued, when suddenly a pistol shot rang out. Miss Fisher fell to the floor, the blood pouring from a bullet wound in her face. Miss Dougherty ran shrieking from the room. Dougherty then walked back into the front room, about three or four feet from the body of his dead sweetheart lay, placed the revolver in his right ear and fired, killing himself almost instantly.

Miss Fisher, the dead young woman, was one of the most popular employees in the government printing office. She was attractive in appearance, being about the average height, with light golden hair. Dougherty was also regarded by his fellow-workers as an exceedingly pleasant fellow. He never dissipated to any great extent, according to his family, and spent the greater portion of his time at home. He was quite an athlete, and belonged to the printing office baseball team.

**DRASTIC RESOLUTIONS.**—The Liberty League, of Washington, met last evening at headquarters and adopted an expression as to its policy concerning the coming elections.

The course of anti-imperialists during the coming campaign was outlined as follows:

Whereas the republican leaders of the United States have entered on an imperial policy contrary to the teachings of the fathers of the republic, and contrary to their own teachings; and

Whereas nothing but waste, spoliation, rapine, and murder abroad, and anarchy and demoralization at home have followed in the wake of this anti-republican course; and

Whereas the social, industrial, and financial problems which confront us in our own continental domain are such as to challenge the aggregate wisdom of the nation; and

Whereas our failures in solving them are such as to bring into derision our bombastic professions about teaching other people self-government; therefore be it

Resolved, That we denounce the stupid and brutal doctrine of imperialism, and the pusillanimous course of the republican party in repudiating the just doctrines of the Declaration of Independence on which that party was founded.

Resolved, That anti-imperialists will do all in their power in the pending elections to give control of the House of Representatives to the democratic party, which has kept faith with the people on this vital issue, in the face of organized calumny and misrepresentation.

**Natural Anxiety.**  
Mothers regard approaching winter with uneasiness, children take cold so easily. No disease costs more little lives than croup. It is a sudden that the sufferer is often beyond human aid before the doctor arrives. Such cases yield readily to one Minute Cough Cure. It liquefies the mucus, allays inflammation, removes danger. Absolutely safe. Acts immediately. Cures coughs, colds, grip, bronchitis, all throat and lung trouble. F. S. McMahon, Hampton, Ga.: "A bad cold rendered me voiceless just before an oratorical contest. I intended to withdraw but took one Minute Cough Cure. It restored my voice in time to win the medal." For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

## COTTON MILL MERGER.

The much-talked-of Fries cotton mill merger of certain classes of all southern cotton mills has been at last consummated to the extent that writings have been signed by seventy mills located in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee. The company formed to acquire these properties will be termed the Southern Textile Company. The financial parties interested are represented by a New York trust company. The controlling management will consist of southern manufacturers. In the plan under which they will organize appears this clause:

"No plant or business shall be purchased, however, in the organization of the new company, except with the written unanimous approval as to the desirability of purchase, and as to the propriety of price of certain persons named."

The committee will meet in Greensboro, N. C., in formal session today to consider and pass upon options submitted by the seventy mills referred to. From these it will select the more desirable and purchase them outright, paying cash and securities of the new textile company. The option provides that the company can issue \$7,000,000 in common, \$7,000,000 in preferred stock, and \$6,000,000 in bonds. This huge consolidation will have an important influence on cotton manufacturing in the South, and it is claimed by its promoters that it will prove a blessing to the industry by eliminating ruinous competition.

## STRIKERS KILLED BY A SENTINEL.

William Durham, a veteran of the Spanish American war, was killed by Private Wadsworth, of Company A, Eighteenth Regiment, at 1 o'clock yesterday morning at Shenandoah, Pa. Wadsworth was one of a squad detailed to guard the home of John Bullwage, which was dynamited Monday night. Durham was intoxicated and wandered toward the house, then he was told by Wadsworth to halt. He refused and Wadsworth fired. The sentries of the Eighteenth Regiment were kept busy from midnight until daylight yesterday morning. About midnight the crack of a revolver was heard, and a bullet flew by a sentry and tore through the tent of Assistant Surgeon S. B. Ralston. The sentry fired into the bushes, and the company was called to arms and the bushes were searched. About two hours later four more shots were fired. The fire was again returned.

## A Typical South African Store.

O. R. Larson, of Bay Villa, Sundays River, Cape Colony, conducts a store typical of South Africa, at which can be purchased anything from the proverbial "needle to an anchor." This store is situated in a valley nine miles from the nearest railway station and about twenty-five miles from the nearest town. Mr. Larson says: "I am favored with the custom of farmers within a radius of thirty miles, to many of whom I have supplied Chamberlain's remedies. All testify to their value in a household where a doctor's advice is almost out of the question. Within one mile of my store the population is perhaps sixty. Of these, within the past twelve months, no less than fourteen have been absolutely cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. This must surely be a record." For sale by Richard Gibson Druggist.

## Catarrh and Hay Fever.

Liquid Cream Balm is becoming quite as popular in many localities as Ely's Cream Balm solid. It is prepared for use in atomizers, and is highly prized by those who have been accustomed to call upon physicians for such a treatment. Many physicians are using and prescribing it. All the medicinal properties of the celebrated Cream Balm are contained in the Liquid form, which is 75 cents including a spraying tube. All druggists, or by mail. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

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of George Washington; also old American historical pictures; highest prices paid. When writing give name of engraver and date of publishing; also any other information appearing on picture. Address, The United Publishing House, P. O. Box 751, New York.

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For Ladies' Gentlemen and Children. All Prices. Special line Fleeced for gentlemen At 39c.

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## Comforts,

75c, \$1, \$1.25, 1.50, up to \$2.50 each.

## Flannelettes.

Handsome line for waists, kimono, night robes, &c.

## Bed Spreads,

75c, 85c, \$1, \$1.25 to \$1.50 each.

## Table Damasks,

25c, 50c to 85c.

## Towels,

5c, 10c, 12 1/2c, 25c, to 50c each.

## Napkins,

Fringed and Bookfold, all prices.

## Canton Flannel,

5c, 7c, 8c, 10c, and 12 1/2c per yard.

Sheetings, Pillow Case Cotton, &c.

Good Unbleached Cotton, short ends at 5c each.

## HOSIERY, Fall Line.

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Half Hose at 12 1/2c per pair are the best for the money that can be found. Try them.

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C. P. KING, President.

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Alexandria Steam Bread Bakery,

A. D. Brockett & Co.

## MEETINGS.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the CRYSTAL PLATE ICE COMPANY for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before it will be held at the company's office, 128 S. Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, the 14th day of October, 1902, at 2 o'clock P. M. sep30 1d JOHN L. WEAVER, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the JOVEITE MANUFACTURING COMPANY will be held at the office of Mr. John M. Johnson, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1902, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the election of Board of Directors and such other business as may come before the meeting.

JOHN C. POOR, Secretary.

JOHN M. JOHNSON, Attorney.

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## NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

To the stockholders of the EQUITABLE PURCHASING COMPANY: Take notice that a general meeting of the stockholders of the Equitable Purchasing Company will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on FRIDAY, November 7, 1902, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering proposed changes to the by-laws and any other business that may come up at said meeting. By order of the Directors.

H. W. DOWLING, Secretary.

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## PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the City Engineer until noon OCTOBER 11, 1902, for certain PAINTING and REPAIRS to PLASTER, &c., of the Market House; also for certain PAINTING, &c., to the Columbia and Hydraulic engine houses. Specifications, &c., can be had on application to the City Engineer. Proposals must be made separately for the buildings. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids or any part thereof. Envelopes containing bids should be endorsed "Proposals for Water Main" addressed CAPT. W. F. CLARK, Quartermaster.

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## PROPOSALS.

Alexandria, Oct. 8, 1902. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received up to Monday, October 13, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for furnishing ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY COILS, more or less, of merchantable OAK WOOD, to be delivered to the poor of the city as ordered and in quantities no greater than one-quarter (1/4) of a cord. The wood is to be delivered during the period from the 1st of December, 1902, to the 31st of March, 1903. Bids should be addressed to the undersigned, and will be opened at the Auditor's office on Monday, October 13, 1902, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. The committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids, and upon any failure of the contractor to give satisfaction to cancel the contract.

By order of the Committee on Poor.

J. R. N. CURTIN, Chairman.

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